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In Reply Refer to: EPA File No. 09U-16-R6

John W. Bierden, Director Office of Civil Rights U.S. Department of Interior 1849 C Street, NW Washington, DC 20240

Re: Referral of Administrative Complaint

Dear Mr. Bierden:

Enclosed for your review is an administrative complaint received by the Office of Civil Rights (OCR) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). OCR does not have jurisdiction to accept this complaint for investigation.

We are therefore forwarding this administrative complaint to your office for further review. The complainant has been notified.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Lilian S. Dorka Acting Director

Office of Civil Rights

Enclosure

cc: Elise Packard

Associate General Counsel

Civil Rights & Finance Law Office

Samuel Coleman Deputy Regional Administrator Deputy Civil Rights Official U.S. EPA Region 6